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Subject: Millennium Hollywood Epi-Center - ENV-2018-2116-EIR

Dear Elva,

For 25 years I lived on Beachwood Drive. Around the time that I had to move back to Texas in 2013 for family reasons the Millennium Towers were just starting to be built and opposition was loud and clear at the time that the only people that want these ridiculous towers built are the people who want to make money off of them. Not the property owners or local residents. I can hardly believe that these towers are still even being discussed five years later as even if it was not an esthetic issue there is no way that it is even remotely possible for safety purposes since they are on an earth quake fault that they should be built. I have to step back and ask myself, why would the city in all common since allow this. Well, unless there was money involved being given under the table to the City Planning and Development Dept. it would never happen. I know this for a fact that this happens. While I lived there on Beachwood I watched the slow erosion of Hollywood's by out of control development that was being allowed. The quality of everyone's live living on the flat lands of Hollywood and Hollywood Hills was affected to the extreme: traffic, visual, noise clutter. The last time I visited Hollywood on a Sunday, traffic was so bad due to all of the development, that had I not lived there for 25 years, and new all of the back roads, I would have been stuck in bottlenecked traffic for hours.

Elva, I know that you are probably bored to tears hearing all of these objections. My friends live in Hollywood, my heart is still in Hollywood but I could never live there again because the city's out of control, selfish allowing of to much development has all but destroyed the joy. The only people having a good time are the greedy developer's and the people that they have paid off within the city by these companies. LA's reputation for this has traveled all the way to Texas and is discussed. The Titanic was built unsafely, and flew in the face of common since. It sank taking hundred's to their death. If these ridiculously dangerous towers are allowed to be built on the next big earth quake that LA has -- and it will -- you can bet that these unstable towers will go down killing hundreds of people. This is the truth and if anyone does not believe this and allow these towers to be built; God help them. The responsibility will be on them. Elva, I know that this is fierce, but is true.

Thank you for you time and consideration.

Sincerely,
Olivia Duke